

PROLONGED SESSION FEARED AT CAPITOL

Members of Congress See
Visions of Early Adjourn-
ment Fading.

MIDDLE OF JUNE OPTIMISTS' HOPE

Leaders Declare That Administra-
tion Railroad Bill Will Cause
Long Debate.

Members of Congress who predicted
adjournment in May are now in serious
doubt about it.

Recent developments in the legislative
program have rendered the time of ad-
journment decidedly uncertain, and it is
now being predicted that Congress will
be in session until the middle of June,
if not later, notwithstanding the anxiety
on the part of the House members to
clean up the annual calendar and get
back into their districts.

The Congressional primaries and elec-
tions, and after them the fall elec-
tions are giving the members a vast
amount of concern, and they will be
inpatient under any program that keeps
them here later than the first or middle
of May.

The disposition on the part of the
House to completely overhaul the Ad-
ministration railroad bill is largely re-
sponsible for the prospect of delay. Al-
ready the railroad bill has been so mod-
ified in some sections that it cannot be
recognized. The House committee is
not through with its consideration of
the measure. Chairman Mann says it
will not be reported to the House until
the members of his committee know
what is in it.

When asked how much debate upon
the railroad bill he expected, Mr. Mann
said that two months would be a fair
estimate of the time necessary. That
means two months from the time the
bill is reported.

Senator Elkins himself says that one
month for the Senate consideration of
the bill is the minimum, and he would
not be surprised to see the Senate de-
bate it two months. He is one of the
leaders in Congress who anticipate that
the body will not be able to adjourn
until some time in June.

The railroad bill is only a part of the
legislative program. It has now been
definitely determined that the statehood
bills will be reported out of the com-
mittees. These bills will precipitate a
long debate. For a time it was the im-
pression that this legislation would go
over until the next session.

The conservation bills have hardly
been touched. The postal savings bank
bill is far from a settled issue. The
House committee will begin hearings
next week, and then will report a bill.
It will be the subject of discussion for
at least two weeks.

Up to this time the appropriation bills
have occupied practically all of the at-
tention of Congress. The various in-
quiries now in progress are taking the
time of many individual Senators and
Representatives who otherwise would be
in attendance upon their regular com-
mittees.

SAVING, ONCE STARTED, BECOMES A FIXED HABIT

Small Account, Opened With Check Given by The Times,
May Guide Careless Sponder to the Road to
Competency.

By BERTHA A. RICH.

Many men have told us how it feels

to be rich.

They all dilate upon the weight of

responsibility and trouble that they

achieve with their riches.

But all this does not in any way

deter folks who are not rich from the

contemplation of the possibilities in the

way of happiness for them in the pos-
session of great wealth—some day.

Money may be the root of all evil, but

we all want a chance to dig a little

around that root. We all feel, and will

until the end comes, that with money

our conditions would be greatly bet-
tered, that with money we should be

more contented and better men and

women. Maybe we would and maybe

we would not, anyway we all want to

try it for ourselves.

We cannot all be rich under present

conditions, but we can all, barring ac-
cident or misfortune, achieve a com-
petence. The best way to start for that

and to begin saving something now.

For the man or woman on a small in-
come to lay by anything at all, the

pocket safe offers the best chance.

Regarding this fact The Times wants

every man, woman and child among its

readers to start a savings account and

to bring this about it distributed from

its business office last week 5,000 hand-
some nickel plated pocket safes, and

with each safe was given The Times

check for 50 cents, drawn on the Four-
teenth Street Savings Bank.

The little pocket safe is admirably

calculated for saving the odd nickels,
dimes and quarters that can be spared.

When you have 25 or more saved you

can begin your bank account. When

you make your first deposit The Times

check will add 50 cents to your credit,
just as a bonus to get you started right.

And remember, every dollar that you

put in commences to earn interest for

you from the moment it is deposited.

It is the history of most fortunes in

this country that they all came from a

few hundred dollars saved little by

little in nickels, dimes, and dollars—just

as you can start your little hoard. Once

you get a small sum ahead, you can save

by taking advantage of opportunities that

present themselves to everyone. Ready

money will always buy more, and

cheaper than credit, and bargains must

be taken up when they can be had.

After your first fifty or a hundred is

where you can reach it when it will be

useful, you will find that the second

comes far easier, and in a few months

or a year or two you will not be afraid

of being suddenly thrown out of work

or of sickness or other misfortune.

WOMAN DEMANDS \$975 FOR BLOOD

Prolonged Life By Giving It For
Transfusion, Claim
Sets Forth.

ST. PAUL, March 15.—Alleging that
her own blood transfused into the veins
of another was the means of prolonging
life, Miss Evelyn Whitney has filed a
claim for \$975 against the estate of Mrs.
Hattie Mulligan.

Mrs. Mulligan, who died last fall, left
an estate valued at \$40,000, but no will.
In her petition Miss Whitney says that
when Mrs. Mulligan was near death
and physicians had said only the trans-
fusion of blood from a younger and
stronger person would save her, she
agreed to sacrifice herself, and in turn
Mrs. Mulligan was to pay her for her
pain and the time she would lose in re-
covering. The life of the day's woman
was prolonged several days.

ST. PATRICK'S EVE PROGRAM ARRANGED

St. Patrick's eve will be celebrated
by the Gaelic Society of Washington
at Carroll Hall, 316 G street. A program
of singing and speech making has been
arranged. James M. Graham, of Illinois,
will deliver an address on "The Celtic
Influence in Modern Civilization."
No admission will be charged and it
is expected that a large number will
attend.

ORPHANS INVITED TO MIDWAY ARCADE

Children Under Care of City May
Be Guests of Man-
agement.

Through Commissioner Rudolph, S. F.
Mulliken has extended to all the or-
phans and children under the city's care
an invitation to spend an afternoon at
the Midway.

The Commissioner has forwarded the
invitation to Secretary Walter S. Ufford,
of the Associated Charities, with his in-
dorsement, and will also discuss the
proposition with George S. Wilson, sec-
retary of the Board of Charities.

The date of the outing has not yet
been determined.

CENT A QUART WHISKY.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 15.—
Whisky is selling here at 1 cent a quart
and beer at a 1/2 cent a bottle. As a
result of these unprecedented prices the
stock and fixtures of several local
clubs have been seized by the sheriff,
and sold at auction to satisfy judg-
ments of State and county taxes.

FIRE IN GREENHOUSES.

It is believed that an overheated fur-
nace was the cause of a \$2,000 blaze in
the greenhouses of Michael J. McCabe,
in Walkers road, near the District line,
last night. The boiler room, where the
furnace was destroyed, and three
greenhouses badly damaged.

REALTY IS ACTIVE, REPORTS BROKER

Several Separate Houses
and Lots Sold Within
Last Few Days.

Great activity during the present week
has been reported by N. L. Sansbury,
the real estate broker. Mr. Sansbury
says there is an active demand for
property of all descriptions.

The following are among the sales
made by this office during the present
week:

For Lewis E. Breuninger, the new
three-story brick residence located at
234 Cathedral avenue, Woodley Park.
The house contains ten rooms and
three bath rooms. It was bought by
Mrs. Catherine Reagan for a home. The
consideration is understood to have been
\$2,800.

For Alex S. Clarke, premises 1510 Sixth
street northwest, to A. C. Bobbs. This
is a three-story pressed brick house
containing ten rooms and bath, with all
modern improvements. The consideration
was \$7,500.

For M. H. Herriman, the detached
house he is erecting on lot 28 in square
207, in Saul's Addition. The price paid
was \$7,000.

To William J. Showalter, lot 19 in
square 207 in Saul's Addition, containing
about 7,000 square feet of ground.
The purchaser is having plans prepared
for a fine detached home which he will
use for his residence when completed.

To Erminie B. Clarkson, lot 42 in
square 202, in Saul's Addition, for \$1,500.
It is the intention of the purchaser to
improve this lot by the erection of a de-
tached house.

PATTEN GIVEN WARNING.

MANCHESTER, March 15.—A. A. Ha-
worth, M. P. for Manchester, South,
presiding at the annual meeting of the
Royal Exchange, expressed regret that
James A. Patten, "a citizen of a friendly
country," has been subjected to annoy-
ance while visiting the Cotton Ex-
change. Mr. Haworth added that he
had warned Patten's friends and regretted
the lack of discretion on their part
in not heeding the warning.

WINTER'S LAST GASP CAUSES FEW REGRETS

Forecaster Looks For Period
of Ideal Spring Weather.
Wind to Moderate.

Lovers of the open hailed with joy
the forecast today of the Weather
Bureau that the northerly wind that
has been sweeping over the city the past
two days will moderate and by tomor-
row night, practically disappear.

Fair and warmer weather is predicted
for tomorrow. Tonight, however, there
will be little difference in the tempera-
ture. It is believed by the forecasters
that the present cold spell is the dying
effort of winter, and that the ideal
spring weather will soon be here.

This morning at 6 o'clock the ther-
mometer registered 26 degrees. It felt
much colder than it really was owing
to the wind. With the disappearance
of the wind, a noticeable change in the
weather, making conditions much more
agreeable than they have been for sev-
eral days, is predicted.

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SIXTY, ASKS HEART BALM.

GREENWICH, Conn., March 15.—
Papers have been filed in Port Chester
in a breach of promise suit by Marla
Ross, sixty years old, against John
Massar, sixty-five. Mrs. Ross demands
\$2,000 as balm for her heart wounds.

BRYAN BRAZIL'S GUEST.

PETROPOLIS, Brazil, March 15.—
President Peçanha will give a banquet
in honor of William Jennings Bryan, at
which the American ambassador, Irving
B. Dudley, and the members of the
embassy will be present.

TRAMP ROBS BENEFACTOR.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Until Clarence
Miller of Crystal Lake, Wis., acted the
good Samaritan to a tramp, he was heir
to a valuable farm. His standing as
an heir now is in doubt, because the
tramp stole his valise in which was the
will of his deceased father bequeathing
the lands to him.

SOUTH CHILLY TO PEARY.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 15.—There
was no Southern hospitality ready for
Explorer Peary. His stop here on his
first Southern tour drew a chilly recep-
tion from a small crowd.

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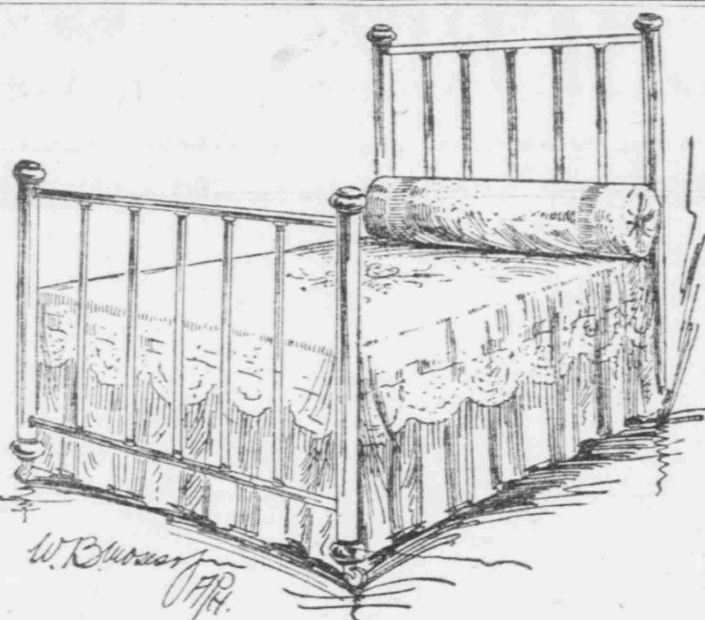
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\$27.00	\$22.50	\$60.00	\$45.00
\$27.00	\$23.50	\$55.00	\$47.50
\$38.00	\$23.50	\$60.00	\$49.50
\$32.00	\$26.00	\$66.00	\$53.00
\$40.00	\$28.75	\$72.00	\$59.00
\$42.00	\$29.50	\$70.00	\$55.00
\$36.00	\$29.75	\$75.00	\$56.50
\$48.00	\$32.00	\$80.00	\$69.50
\$44.00	\$32.00	\$105.00	\$85.00
\$42.00	\$36.00	\$145.00	\$115.00
\$50.00	\$39.50	\$175.00	\$137.50
\$68.00	\$39.00	\$300.00	\$225.00
\$48.00	\$39.50	\$350.00	\$275.00

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Regular price.	Sale price.	Regular price.	Sale price.
\$16.00	\$11.00	\$48.00	\$31.50
\$20.00	\$12.50	\$52.00	\$32.00
\$27.00	\$13.50	\$45.00	\$32.00
\$23.00	\$17.50	\$50.00	\$33.50
\$25.00	\$20.00	\$50.00	\$34.00
\$32.00	\$23.50	\$42.00	\$36.00
\$27.00	\$23.75	\$44.00	\$36.75
\$38.00	\$24.00	\$56.00	\$37.50
\$32.00	\$24.00	\$50.00	\$39.00
\$36.00	\$24.00	\$60.00	\$45.00
\$30.00	\$25.00	\$60.00	\$45.00
\$32.00	\$25.00	\$60.00	\$45.00
\$30.00	\$25.00	\$60.00	\$47.50
\$36.00	\$28.00	\$56.00	\$48.00
\$37.00	\$28.75	\$60.00	\$48.00
\$40.00	\$28.75	\$60.00	\$52.00
\$42.00	\$29.50	\$70.00	\$60.00

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